

**DONALD W. COOK**, CSB 116666  
ATTORNEY AT LAW  
3435 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 2910  
Los Angeles, CA 90010  
(213) 252-9444; (213) 252-0091 facsimile  
E-mail: manncook@earthlink.net

Attorney for Plaintiff

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

CONNIE A. CARDINALE, an individual,  
Plaintiff,

vs.

XAVIER BECERRA, an individual sued in his official capacity only; SCOTT R. JONES, an individual sued in his official and individual capacities; COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO, a governmental entity; SACRAMENTO COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT, a public entity; CLINTON ROBINSON (#305), an individual sued in his official and individual capacities; and Does 1 through 20, all sued in their individual capacities,

Defendants.

Case No. 2:20-cv-1325-MCE-CKD

**STIPULATION FOR  
DISMISSAL OF DEFENDANT  
XAVIER BECERRA**

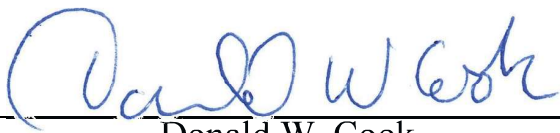
TO THE HON. MORRISON C. ENGLAND, JR., UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE:

Pursuant to Rule 41(a), Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, Plaintiff and defendant Xavier Becerra (sued in his official capacity only) stipulate to a dismissal with prejudice of all claims asserted against him. The dismissal would be without prejudice, however, to any claim for damages, if any, arising under state law and filed in state court that Plaintiff may assert against the State of California and/or any of its officials or employees

1 and arising from acts giving rise to the present lawsuit. Should Plaintiff pursue a damages  
2 claim, the parties agree that this Stipulation is without prejudice to any defense the State  
3 (including any of its officials or employees or departments) may assert as against such  
4 claim based on immunity, statute of limitations, or other failure to comply with the State's  
5 administrative claim process. The parties further agree that each side shall bear their own  
6 costs.  
7

8 DATED: August 16, 2021

9 **DONALD W. COOK**  
Attorney for Plaintiff

10  
11 By   
12 Donald W. Cook

13 DATED: August 16, 2021

14 **ROB BONTA**  
Attorney General of California  
15 **CATHERINE WOODBRIDGE**  
Supervising Deputy Attorney General  
16 Attorneys for Defendant Xavier Becerra

17  
18 s/ John C. Bridges

19 By \_\_\_\_\_  
20 John C. Bridges  
Deputy Attorney General  
21  
22  
23  
24  
25  
26  
27  
28